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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks contained herein in response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2008. Applicant respectfully submits that the remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 5.